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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action 05/28/2003 PSTANBAC 0000003 132725 09688756

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The provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed February 5, 2003, said period of response being extended from May 5, 2003 to June 5, 2003.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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